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WAYNE, PENNSYLVANIA 19087
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December 17, 1987
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68-01-7346

Mr. John T. Harding
Manager, Safety, Health, and Environment
Mack Trucks, Incorporated
2100 Mack Boulevard
Box M
Allentown, Pennsylvania 18103

Subject: Request for Information
TDD No. F3-8712-17
Mack Trucks, Incorporated Fabrication Plant (Tenth Street)
EPA No. PA-956

Dear Mr. Harding:

In response to our meeting on December 3, 1987, please consider this a formal request for obtaining background information concerning the former Mack Trucks, Incorporated Fabrication Plant located on South Tenth Street in Allentown, Pennsylvania. Specifically, the information requested is outlined below:

1. A map showing all former storage tank locations and building nos. 3, 3A, 4, and 4A.
2. A description of the former usage and/or contents of the tanks mentioned above.
3. Any information concerning where the bottom ash from the boiler house was taken for disposal. Also, please include any analysis of this ash, if available.
4. A copy of the closure plan for the facility.
5. A copy of all sample results from samples taken during the formal closure of the facility.
6. A copy of the sample location map for samples mentioned above in item no. 5.

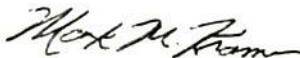
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7. A copy of shipping manifests for the following materials removed during the closure of the facility:
- o Material contained in all storage tanks.
 - o Material contained in all storage pools.
 - o Contaminated soil excavated and removed.
 - o Asbestos removed from all buildings
 - o Cyanide-laced quenching oil from equipment within the former heat treatment buildings.
8. Detailed statements explaining the information provided to EPA by Russell L. Aiken on the Notification of Hazardous Waste Site Form (enclosed). Please address the following:
- o Section E. General Type of Waste. Answered "Organics, Inorganics, Solvents, Heavy Metals, Acids, Bases and Others."
 - o Section E. Source of Waste. Answered "Plating/Polishing."
 - o Section F. Waste Quantity. Facility Type. Answered "Landfill, Tanks, Underground Injection, Drums Above Ground."
 - o Section F. Total Facility Waste Amount. Answered "4,000,000 cubic feet."
 - o Section I. Description of Site. Answered by indicating that waste disposal had occurred on site. Also stated that areas that formerly accepted waste have now been built upon.
9. Any information concerning waste disposal on site, to include description of waste types and quantities and a map showing former disposal areas.

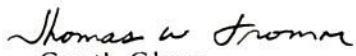
Thank you in advance for your cooperation. If you have any further questions, please contact either Paul Dietrich, William Wentworth, or me.

Respectfully,

Approved by,



Mark M. Kramer
Geologist


for Garth Glenn
Regional Operations Manager,
FIT 3

MMK/nmd

Attachments



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December 15, 1987
T-585-12-7-86
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Mr. Kenneth R. Kryszczun
U.S Environmental Protection Agency
841 Chestnut Building
Ninth and Chestnut Streets
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Dear Mr. Kryszczun:

Attached please find four uncontrolled draft copies of the Preliminary Assessment for Mack Trucks, Incorporated, prepared under TDD No. F3-8712-17.

Please endorse below confirming that you have received the attached subject data and return the form to the above address.

Sincerely,


A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Garth Glenn /dg".

Garth Glenn
Regional Operations Manager,
FIT 3

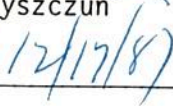
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Signature: _____


Kenneth R. Kryszczun

Date: _____


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NUS CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

TELECON NOTE

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CONTROL NO:

DATE:

12/10/87

TIME:

1400

DISTRIBUTION:

BETWEEN:

Receptionist (Employee)

OF:

Allentown City Water

PHONE:

(215) 437-7643

AND:

Mark Kramer.

DISCUSSION:

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She said that they estimate 144,000 served. 110,000 is within allentown limits and the other 34,000 people live in South Whitehall and Salisbury.

ACTION ITEMS:

Mark M. Kramer 12/10/87

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NUS CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

TELECON NOTE

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12/8/87

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DISTRIBUTION:

File: Mack Trucks, Inc.

BETWEEN:

Jim Dolan

OF:

PA DER Bethlehem

PHONE:

(215) 861-2070

AND:

Mark Kramer

DISCUSSION:

Jim Dolan said that they never submitted a plan to DER for closure. He said that he knew that they did some work but was sure that they hadn't submitted a plan because all tanks underground were containing fuel oil only.

ACTION ITEMS:

Mark M. Kramer 12/8/87

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NUS CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES

TELECON NOTE

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0850

DISTRIBUTION:

BETWEEN:

Kate Lose

OF:

PA DER

PHONE:

(215) 270-1949

AND:

Mark Kramer

DISCUSSION:

She is an engineer and had responsibilities for the Mack Trucks Closure plan. She said that she review it and had approved of it. Everything was in order. She said that it must be in the process of being filed so therefore it was not in the file at the times when I researched them. She said that Jim Dolan of the Bethlehem office also had alot to do with it and could probably tell me more information (215) 861-2070

ACTION ITEMS:

Mark M. Kramer 12/8/87